THEREEN'S CONVENTION. - A meeting of the Firemen's Convention was held at the Hall of the Sun Engine House, on Saturday night last, Geo. T. Whittington, of the Friendship, in the Chair, and Wm. Jenkins, of the Sun, Sec-

The following delegates from the different companies were present:

Friendship-Geo. T. Whittington, William Underwood and B. F. Penn.

Sun-Hugh Latham, William Jenkins and John Williams.

Hook and Laddder-Richard Latham, Norman F. Moore, John A. Adam and A. M. Hall.

After a long discussion in refernce to matters connected with the Fire Department, which was participated in by nearly all the delegates, the followed resolution offered by Hugh Latham was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That a committee of two from each company be appointed to draft a law for the government of the Fire Department of Alexandria under the laws of the State, to be presented to the City Council for their considvention at some future meeting.

The Chair appointed the following committee: Messrs. Latham and Jenkins, of the Sun; Underwood and Penn, of the Friendship; and Latham and Moore of the Hook and Ladder. On motion, the Convention adjourned, sub-

GEORGETOWN MATTERS .-- The following items are from the Georgetown correspondence of the Washington Union:

ject to the call of the President.

In conversation with persons interested in the coal trade it has been suggested that an outlet lock be constructed above the Alexandria Aqueduct, so that coal boats may be locked out into the river and then towed to Alexandria, which will be a saving to the coal companies of \$6.50 on each boat load of coal. It costs about \$10.50 to get a boat to Alexandria and return by the canal, but if there was an outlet lock as stated, boats would be taken to Alexandria and returned by the tugs, for the sum of four dollars. We have not the least doubt that unless the obstructions are shortly removed in the Potomac, this will be the final plan to successfully remove them. If we cannot whip the enemy we will starve them out.

We regret to have to acknowledge that since the successful opening of the Alexandria canal, more than half the coal trade has been diverted to Alexandria, and the indications are that it will all go there by another season, unless affairs take a change. This, we will state, is partly owing to the neglect of the authorities of this city to keep the channel of morrow morning. the Potomac open.

As stated a few days ago, the Alexandria Canal Company have removed the foot bridge from its former position across the canal opposite the collector's office, and are building i across the mouth of the Alexandria canal.-Hereafter those who have business at the collector's office, and who wish to cross the Potomac at the Aqueduct, will be compelled to cross the canal at Frederick street.

GIPSIES.—The Washington Republican says: With the advent of the locust pest we are about to be afflicted with a band of wandering thieves, styled Gipsies. On the Virginia side of the Long Bridge a gang of these marauders, numbering some twenty men, women and toggery are engaged in telling fortunes, trading horses, (mostly stolen) and depredating generally about the farm houses, in the locality of their encampment. While in the act of strik-ing al bargain yesterday in selling a horse, the owner stepped forward and warned the gentleman who was about to purchase that he had prior claim to the annimal, when the sale was interrupted, the owner declaring that he would reclaim the animal to-day through the aid of the police. The band has lately arrived from California, and claims to be English.

SCARCITY OF VESSELS. - The scarcity of vessels here when freight is so high and so plentiful, is by some accounted for by the demurrage act in Philadelphia going into effect on the 1st instant, which allows the consignee but 24 hours as a lay day, and 24hours to discharge each give the establishment a permanent reputation. one hundredtons, and which act, if not discharged To these people they have added a Zoological at the expiration of that time, imposes eight ets. demurrage on each and every ton for every day thereafter that it remains undischarged. The captains of many vessels have combined and refuse to receive cargoes, unless the shippers will sign, on the face of the bill of lading, the above demurrage, and the shippers are waiting for instructions from their con-

PROPERTY SALES. -The following sales of property were made by Wise & Green, rea estate agents on June 13:

Brick house and lot on Prince street between Patrick and Henry streets, ground rent of \$20 to Geo. L. Dyson, for \$1,775.

Two story frame house and lot on south east corner of Queen and Pitt streets to W. A. Johnson, for \$975. Two story frame house and lot on south side of Duke street, between Royal and Fairfax streets, to Chas. P. Shaw

Two story frame house and lot on Henry street between Prince and Queen streets, to Daniel D. Gould, for \$550.

BUSINESS. - The summer months in all cities are, comparatively, dull, and the slackness is more or less particularly felt in Southern cities. We mention this now, in advance, to tell the people not to let any depression ensue, if trade should, in July and August, not be brisk as they could wish. We believe it will, with us, be better than it was last summer—for the coal trade now helps bravely. But, we must share with our neighbors, the times, as well the chances of business-and we cannot expect every month to

STILL WATCHMEN. - Samuel Jefferson and George Williams-provided the same rule ob tains in Alexandria as in Norfolk -- are still night watchmen of this city. They were legal ly elected by a majority of the City Council and have done nothing to forfeit their election. See military communication in another col-

ACCIDENT TO A STEAMTUG.—The steamtug Zeta met with an accident off this city, on Friday afternoon, while on her way to Fort Washington. Her stay-bolt blew out, and she was compelled to return to Washington in tow of the tug Potomac. The damage will be repaired in a few days.

nummer, sure enough.

COAL. - For the week ending Saturday last, there was shipped from Agnew's steam docks, by the Central Coal-Mining and Manufacturing Company, 4,481 tons of Cumberland coal, and by the Hampshire and Baltimore Coal Company, 360 tons. For the two weeks ending on Saturday last, the American Coal Company, received and shipped 10,704 tons. The shipments were to New York, Boston, Providence, Philadelphia, Bridgport, Hudson, N. Y., Norfolk, Salem and New Haven.

POTOMAC FERRY.—Capt. Samuel Gedney has been fully associated with Mr. S.S. Howison in the future management of the Potomac Ferry Company. Capt. Gedney has for some time past been the popular, experienced and efficient superintendent of the company, and his increased authority in the management of the company's affairs will, we are sure, result beneficially to all parties.

REGATTA. - Several sailboats from Washington had a race down the Potomac to-day. They left Washington at 10 o'clock, but in consequence of the prevalence of a calm did not pass this place until about 1 o'clock, at which time a light breeze from the Southeast sprang up. eration; said committee to report to this con- The steamer Wawaset, with several persons on board, accompanied the regatta, but otherwise there was very little interest manifested.

> RESCUED. - Samuel Madison, aged 8 years, while playing on the Old Foundry Wharf yesterday evening, accidentally fell overboard, and would have been drowned, but for Samuel Sutton, a little fellow of 12 years, who caught his companion by the ear and held his head above water until he was rescued from his perilous condition.

> CROPS .- A gentleman just from a trip through the counties adjacent to the city, represents the appearance of the growing crops as most flourishing, and as giving promise of a plentiful yield. The cold wind immediately succeeding the late wet weather, it is said, was of immense benefit.

DISORDERLY. - Some disturbance was created at the upper end of King street, on Saturday evening last, by a fight which occurred there among some countrymen. The affair, however, was quieted without much trouble.

BREAD.—The bakers have unanimously agreed to put up the price of bread to the old standard 15 cents for two pound loaf and eight cents for one pound loaves-to commence to- PROGRAMMES,

SALT. -Our friends in the adjoining counties are advised that their supplies of SALT can be obtained in Alexandria, on better terms than elsewhere.

HOT WEATHER. -The mercury in the thermometer at 2 o'clock, this evening, indicated

POLICE REPORT-MAYOR'S OFFICE.-Mollie Gray, colored, for creating a disturbance at Fish Town was fined and discharged. Edward Courtnay, for obstructing the side

walks was locked up in the Watch House. MAGISTRATES' OFFICE. - John Dyer, a boy, for disorderly conduct, and for breaking the children, has encamped, and in their filthy nose of Daniel Stanberry, of his same age, was in default of the payment of the imposed fine, committed to the work house.

> DEMOTT & WARD'S UNITED MENAGERIE AND CIRCUS.-The young gentlemen whose names form the caption of the firm of the above mentioned institution are both well and most favorably known to the public as eminent performers. By merit and industry they have acquired sufficient to enable them to start an enterprise of their own upon a firm basis. They know practically what a good performance is worth to an establishment, and how far a commendable entertainment ensures success. They have an entire new outfit, and are fully enabled to make a good display upon the road, but not depending upon that alone, they have secured a troupe of artistes, whose performances will not only create a sensation but divertisement of a clever and moral nature. They have rare beasts, the majority of which have been so trained that they can be introduced with satisfaction into the arena. These are the Performing Bears of Old Grizzly Adams, a Leaping Buffalo, a Hindoostan Bull, a fine corps of Dogs, Apes, Monkeys, Babboons, and a den of ferocious denizens of the Tropics. The stock of Horses, Ponies and Mules are of excellent quality, and the concern to-day backed by youth, merit ambition and originality must prove remunerative to its proprietors and acceptable to its patrons. It will be here on the 26th inst.

SOMETHING NICE.-Mr. Dealham, at his fashionable clothing store, No. 108 King street, has an assortment of the coolest and nicest inen goods ever brought to this market. His opera collars just suit the season.

MEDALS AND BADGES

SCHOOLS AND SOCIETIES, Gold and Silver, Maltese and other Crosses, Stars and Bars, round, oval, diamond and other shapes, Masonic, Odd Fellows, Red Men, B. U. (H. F.) C. A., U. S. G., and all other Heraldic designs made to order. I have on hand a number of Medals for Schools, which can be engraved at a few hours' notice, and at unusually GEORGE DUFFEY, low rates. Clock and Watchmaker,

126, King st. NOTICE.—TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.—Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed by the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Virginia, receiver of all the assets of the Farmers' Bank of Virginia, and of all its branches. All persons indebted to said banks are hereby notified forthwith to pay such debts only to the receiver or his duly authorized agents and attorneys; and all persons having claims against said banks must forthwith file notices of the same, setting forth the amount claimed, with me. DAVID J. SAUNDERS,

Richmond, my 18-2aw6m OVE AMONG THE ROSES.

A new and delightful pertume for the hand-

warrield & Hall, je 9 Cor. Prince and Fairfax streets SMOKING TOBACCO.—Orders received and filled at factory prices for N. W. Harris's superior Virginia Smoking Tobacco, packed in

different sized cases, by A. T. SKINNER & CO., Nos. 10 and 12, south Union street WE HAVE constantly on hand an assortment of Flour Buckets, Sugar and Spice Boxes, Brooms, Buckets, Barrel Tops, Cedar Tubs, Sifters, Clothes' Lines and Pins. Call and examine.

BROOKES & TAYLOR, 106, Prince street.

MALIFAX HERRINGS.

50 bbls new Halifax Herrings to arrive and for sale by

TELEGRAPH NEWS. Special Dispatches to the Gazette.

Struck by Lightning. DETROIT, Mich., June 15 .- During a severe storm at Gravehaven yesterday, the house of Alexander Van Yanwick was struck by lightning and Mr. Van Yanwick and a boy named Balgania were killed.

The Markets.

LIVERPOOL, June 15.-Cotton buoyant but prices unchanged; sales of 8,000 bales.

LONDON, June 15.—Consols for money 94 a

95. U. S. 5.20's 72 a73. NEW YORK, June 15.—Stocks strong.— Money 3a4. Sterling Exchange 10½. Gold 40½. Old bonds 112½; new 113½. Virginia 6's, new, 56; ex-coupon 56. Flour 5a10 cts. lower. Wheat 1a2c lower. Corn without decided change. Pork quiet; mess \$28.121.-Cotton steady at 29c.

BALTIMORE, June 15.—Flour dull and nothing doing. Wheat dull and prices unchanged. Corn dull; white 112; yellow 112a114. Oats dull; Maryland and Pennsylvania 90a95. Rye nominal at 175. Pork dull. Bacon firm .-Lard dull at 19c. Virginia 6's 441 bid; 45 asked. North Carolina 6's 68 bid.

LEXANDRIA GAZETTE

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JOB PRINTING OFFICE, No. 70 Prince street,

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Having added largely to our assortment of JOB TYPE.

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CIRCULARS,

POSTERS, HAND BILLS,

BILL HEADS, &c., &c.,

at reasonable prices.

VIRGINIA, to wit: - In the County Court of Fairfax county, June rules, 1868, E. R. Deshields against Andrew Withers: In case Mem:—The object of this suit is to attach the interest of the defendant in and to the real and personal estate of David Fitzhugh, dec'd, to pay plaintiff the sum of \$267.50, with interest

from January 1, 1867, until paid.

It appearing by affidavit filed that the said defendant is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect his interest. A copy, teste. F. D. RICHARDSON, Cl'k.

Dulany & Ball, P. Q. je 13—1aw4w VIRGINIA, to wit:—In the County Court of Fairfax county, June rules, 1868, Eugenia Fox vs. J. W. Shiles: In chancery.

Mem:-The object of this suit is to attach a tract of land in the county of Fairfax, the property of the defendant, containing 169 acres, to pay plaintiff the sum of \$25, with interest from January, 1863. It appearing by affidavit filed that the defend-

ant is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that he appear within one month after due publication hereof, and do what is necessary to protect her interest. A copy, teste. F. D. RICHARDSON, Cl'k. Dulany & Ball, P. Q. je 13 -law4w

VIRGINIA:—At rules held in the Clerk's Office of the County Court of Alexandria county, on the 4th day of May, 1868, James Stewart and Mary Ann Stewart, plaintiffs, against James Bowie, defendant: In chancery. The object of this suit is to subject the real estate of the defendant, in this county, and also the monies and effects belonging to the said defendant in the hands of or which may come to the hands of Reuben Johnston and Lawrence B. Taylor, or either of them; also, all debts due or which may become due from the said Lawrence B. Taylor and Reuben Johnston, or either of them, to the said James Bowie, to the payment of one hundred and twenty-four dolars, with interest on \$106, part thereof, from December 25th, 1867, and on \$18, the residue thereof, from December 2, 1867, and \$1.40 costs of proceedings before a justice, due by the defendant to the plaintiffs.

The defendant, James Bowie, not having entered his appearance and given security according to the act of Assembly and the rules of this Court, and it appearing by affidavit that he is not a resident of this State, it is ordered that the said defendant appear here within one month after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit; and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the city of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this county. A copy-teste.

J. TACEY, Clerk. E. M. Lowe, P. Q. my 23-law4w

MORSETS! White and Colored in all numbers from 16 to 30, constantly on hand and for sale at

C. C. BERRY'S. CUMBERLAND COAL-now arriving di rect by canal, for sale in any quantity, by W. A. SMOOT & CO.,

No. 3 King street OBSTERS.-Fresh Lobsters, in cans, just received and for sale by FRED. RECKER,

King street, cor. St. Asaph DRIME WESTERN LEAF LARDjust re ceived and for sale by AVERY & DAVIDSON,

226, King st., cor. Alfred FISH! FISH!!-100 barrels prime Eastern Herring, for sale very low, by BLACKLOCK & CO.,

No. 5 Maryland Ferry Slip

COOK & KELLEY,

WOOL purchased by A. T. SKINNER & CO., my 25 Nos. 10 and 12, south Union street DRIED APPLES received to-day and for sale by

J. C. MILBURN. MUSTARD.—French and English, received and for sale by FRED. RECHER, King st., cor. St. Asaph my 26-4w DURE LINSEED OIL just received and for

sale by

Salt, for sale by

107, King street, RESH BEDFORD WATER just received and for sale by COOK & KELLEY, 107, King street. CALT-250 sacks fine Salt; 200 sacks G. A

GEO. WASHINGTON. CONSTANT SUPPLY of No. 1 PERU-A CONSTANT SUFFER VIAN GUANO. For sale by B H. LAMBERT. CHEWING and SMOKING TOBACCO, for sale by BROOKES & TAYLOR,

BROOKES & TAYLOR, 106, Prince street. THE WEATHER is now warm—feeling like je 6 HOOE & WEDDERBURN.

TOBACCO—10 boxes choice Tobacco for sale prime Dried Beef and Cheese, for sale by je 6 J. C. MILBURN.

Boys' BISMARCK LINEN SUITS .- A large variety of Linen Goods for boys' wear, at Henning's One Price Clothing Store, No. 511, 7th st., Washington, D. C.

WHY is it the people all go to Blondheim's orner King and Fairfax streets, to buy their Clothing? 'Tis because he sells a good article of Clothing at a small advance on cost.

THERE is a perfect rush for Summer Suits at Dealham's Clothing store, 108, King st. je 5

According to the old saying, you will always do best to go to the largest establishment for your supply in every line. S. DEALHAM, 108, King street, Schoolher & Bro's, old stand, has the largest clothing establishment and the finest and cheapest clothing in the city. At his place you can get good goods, and every article is warranted as represented. The large business he is doing enables him to sell from 10 to 20 per cent cheaper than any of the lesser lights. je 4—2awtf

THE warm weather has commenced, and a few days more will render indispensible the thin suits, of which S. Dealham, 108, King st., has just received a fresh supply.

THEN go to BLONDHEIM'S, 'Tis the corner stand, And examine his stock, 'Tis exceedingly grand; There you'll find him, Certain and sure, Just opposite Wood's Large Dry Goods store.

THOSE of our readers in want of ready-made Clothing of the latest styles and best material would do well to call at the well-known Clothing establishment of S. Dealham, 108, King st. my 22-2awtf

Those beautiful new style Suits at Dealham's blue mixed Coat and Vest and light Pants, take the eye of everybody, he is selling them fast.

DEALHAM has also cheap Clothing. Satinet Coats and Pants at \$2.50. Melton Suits complete at \$8.50. All-wool Tweed Suits at \$8. Silk-mixed Suits at \$11. And others of that class in great variety and my 9-2awtf wonderfully cheap.

THEY have arrived at S. Dealham's, No. 108, King street, a variety of Spring Suits, composed of Scotch and French Cassimeres and French Coatings, made up custom work to his own ormy 9-2awtf

Just received at S. Dealham's, No. 108, King street, a large variety of Youth's Clothing. FACTS FOR THE PEOPLE. - Read and remember that Blondheim's is the only establishment

in the city to get a real nice, neat fitting suit of Black Cloth for \$15. For one of those silk mixed Suits for \$12 go Blondheim's, corner King and Fairfax sts. For a No. 1 Harris Cassimere Suit for \$12 go Blondheim's corner King and Fairfax sts.

Blondheim's corner King and Fairfax sts. For a tip top Melton suit for \$8 go to Blondheim's: corner King and Fairfax sts.

For a real good Tweed Suit for \$9 go to

Blondheim's, corner King and Fairfax sts. For one of those Black Sack Coats for \$4 go to Blondheim's, corner King and Fairfax sts.

Last, but not least, if you want Cassinet Pants for \$1 and above, go to Blondheim's. corner King and Fairfax sts.

FOR SALE AND RENT.

FOR RENT. An OFFICE in the Fire Insurance Company Building; also, if desired, a spacious room, in the second-story, in the same building. JOHN H. BRENT, President.

FISH WHARF FOR RENT.—Sealed pro-posals will be received at the Auditor's office, in this city, until July 1, 1868, at 12 m., for the renting of the above property from that date until October 1, 1868; all articles for the use of the Gas House and Corporation to be landed free of wharfage. During the proposed renting all the present passways to be kept open and free; the wharf to be delivered up free of all incumbrance by October 1st, 1868.

Terms cash in current funds. GEO. H. MARKELL, Ch'n. Com. on Pub. Prop. je 12-eotd FOR RENT.

The comfortable THREE STORY BRICK DWELLING HOUSE, on Payne st., between Prince and Duke, recently put in thorough repair. Possession given immediately Apply to je 11-1w HOOE & WEDDERBURN.

FOR RENT.

The large three-story WAREHOUSE, on Union street, two doors north of Cameron st .-Possession given 1st July next. For terms apply to Messrs. JAMIESON & LEE, on the premises, or to W. G. CAZENOVE je 9-eo2w

FOR RENT. The STORE, No. 86, south King st., occupied at present by Mr. E. S. Fleming, as a Jewelry store. Possession given 1st of April. For terms apply at 107, CAMERON ST.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

The three-story DOUBLE BRICK DWEL-LING HOUSE, No. 35, north Fairfax street, containing 13 rooms, beside kitchen, cellar and storeroom in basement, gas, hot and cold water, stationery wash tubs, bath, closet, furnace and cooking range. The yard is large and convenient. Apply to JOHN J. JAMIESON,

35, north Water st. WANTED TO RENT or PURCHASE a genteel and small DWELLING HOUSE, in this place. Address Box 149. mh 9-tf* DOOMS FOR RENT .- Three rooms for rent

Cover the Assembly Rooms. Apply to my 19 WITMER & SLAY MAKER. A SSEMBLY ROOMS. The ASSEMBLY ROOMS have just been fitted up, and are now for rent for LECTURES,

CONCERTS, FAIRS, &c. Apply to feb 15-tf WITMER & SLAYMAKER. DOAT ADRIFT.-A batteau built boat was D picked up on the shore of Abbingdon tarm, between this city and Washington, on the morning of Thursday last, the 11th instant. The owner, by proving property and paying charges,

can take it away

LOR SALE .- One fresh COW with CALF which will be sold low. Apply to 13-3t ENOCH GRIMES, 43, King st. SHAD ROE! SHAD ROES!-1 lot of Roes in kits. BROOKES & TAYLOR, 106, Prince street.

W. LEWIS MILBURN would respectfully inform the public that in anticipation of the approaching hot season his SODA WATER APPARATUS

is in operation, with freshly tinned generators, and all things in condition to furnish a pure healthy and refreshing article of Soda Water, flavored with choice Syrups of every variety, carefully prepared by himself and chemically pure. While he gives his fountain no highsounding name, he modestly trusts that it will yield a beverage equal to the best here or else-

SOAPS.-We have Stearine, Babbitt's, Dob bins' and Olive. In Toilet Soaps we have a fine assortment. BROOKES & TAYLOR, 106, Prince street.

IME.-500 bbls No. 1 Stone Lime for sale
by A. T. SKINNER & CO.,
my 25 Nos. 10 and 12, south Union st. 1 by CHAD ROE .- 25 kits fine Shad Roe, in small D packages for family use, for sale by my 25 GEO. WASHINGTON.

BORDEAUX and MARSEILLES OIL, for sale by BROOKES & TAYLOR, 106, Prince street. D sale by 300 BUSHELS JACKSON WHITE PO-TATOES, in store and for sale by W. A. SMOOT & CO. POWDER, SHOT AND CAPS.
BROOKES & TAYLOR,

106, Prince street.

EXCURSIONS, &c.

DOTOMAC GARDENS. A GRAND BALL

POTOMAC GARDENS,
On MONDAY, June 15.
COOK'S COTILLION BAND has been engaged for the occasion. Positively no improper characters allowed on the grounds.

Tickets for gentlemen 25 cents; ladies free. HENRY HERBNER, je 15-1t

GLYMONT.

FIRST EXCURSION CATHOLIC BENEFICIAL ASSOCIATION, FOR THE BENEFIT OF
ST. MARY'S CHURCH,
TO GLYMONT,
Will be given on THURSDAY, June 18, 1868.

The new steamer CITY OF ALEXANDRIA has been chartered, and will leave Washington at 7 a. m., and Alexandria at 8 a. m., and 12 and 7 p. m. Returning leave Glymont at 5 and Floor Managers. ham. John T. Hill.

R. M. Latham. Committee of Arrangements. John Lannon. Harrison Jacobs. George H. Harlow. B. R. Summers. Richard M. Latham. The members of the Association will act Committee of Order.

The Committee pledge themselves to make this one of the best excursions of the season. The MARINE BAND has been engaged for the occasion.

Tickets, admitting Gentleman and Lady, \$1 Lady, 50 cents; Children and Servants, 25 cts. to be obtained of any of the Committee. Meals and Refreshments will be furnished at city prices.

TO! FOR GLYMONT!

MOUNT VERNON CIRCLE, NO. 1, B. U. (H. F.) C. A.,

GRAND EXCURSION TO GLYMONT, MONDAY, JUNE 22, 1868.

WILL GIVE A

The committee pledge themselves The committee pledge themselves to make it the excursion of the sea-Tickets, admitting a gentleman and lady, \$1; ladies, unaccompanied by gentlemen, 50c. children and servants, 25c., to be had of any of the committee. The large and commodious steamer CITY OF

ALEXANDRIA has been engaged for the occasion. She will leave her wharf, foot of King street, as follows: 8 a. m., 11 p. m.; returning leave Glymont 10 a. m., 7 p. m. Cook's celebrated Cotillion Band has been engaged for the occasion. No improper person

will be admitted on the boat. Committee of Arrangements. Richard Roland, R. H. Warder, S. McElroy, S. S. Coleman, Wm. Miller, C. Wells, C. C. Wade, Wm. H. Bacon, Wm. Remington, J. W. Starnell, John Doran.

John A. Field, Hugh Latham, je 10-td

MONCERT. "THE FLOWER QUEEN,

A beautiful Cantata, composed by George F. Root, will be performed at the ASSEMBLY ROOMS,

On TUESDAY EVENING, June 16th The Concert will be under the direction of Miss M. S. WOODBURY, Pianist, assist d by TWENTY-FIVE YOUNG LA-DIES OF ALEXANDRIA, in appropriate

costumes. Admission 50 cents; Children 25 cents. Doors open at 71 o'clock; Concert commences Tickets may be obtained at the Bookstores of

Robert Bell and Geo. E. French. WHITE HOUSE PAVILION. The above named popular resort having been handsomely refitted and the grounds tastefully laid off, is now ready for the reception of Pleasure, Parties, Picnics, &c Application can be

er Arrow, or of C. A. Ryners, at the Pavilion je 13-1w WE CALL ATTENTION TO OUR NEW stock of-Superior Linen Damask, full widths, for ta-

ble Cloths. We have also a full line of Brown and half-bleached Table Cloths. Table Napkins, all qualities. Linen and Cotton Diaper, in 12 yard piecesall grades.

Towels of all sizes and prices, some very

handsome. These, with a full assortment of Linens and Housekeeping goods, are now in store, and can be sold at prices to suit the times. ROBERT L. WOOD, Cor. King and Fairfax streets.

NIEW DRESS GOODS. We have now in store a very large assortment of low and medium-priced DRESS GOODS,

to which we are making additions from day

day of the most choice goods in the market. In the last invoice we received a lot of very cheap and desirable Lawns, Pearl and Mode Colored Mazambiques for Suits, &c., &c. Call and examine our stock ROBERT L. WOOD, Cor. King and Fairfax streets,

\$25 REWARD.—Stolen from the subscriber, in Washington, Rappahannock county, Va., on Friday night, the 6th instant, a BAY HORSE COLT, 3 years old. Said Colt is a deep bay, carries himself up well when mount ed, medium size rather heavy built, white hind feet, had never been shod, when taken away had feet sore from use, had been worked the day he was stolen, but not sufficient to show any marks; slightly ruptured in the left flank, hardly observable, except by pressure of the hand. The above reward will be given if taken up, out of the counties of Rappahannock or Culpeper, or \$10 if taken in either of those

counties. Address WAYMAN & TEMPLEMAN, Washington, Rapp co., Va CITY TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE.

The undersigned will by found in their office, in the Market Building, until the 1st of July next, to receive taxes due the city, and, in the meanwhile, will make a discount of 45 per cent on all bills, paid in current funds on or before I. C. O'NEIL, Collector Northern District.

S. K. FIELD, je 13.d3t&cotd Collector Southern District. TCE CREAM SALOON.

BRENGLE'S ICE CREAM SALOON, No. 121, King street,

dation of the public Ladies and gentlemen will find this saloon an agreeable place in which to refresh themselves with ICES and CONFECTIONS. ICE CREAM, Orangeade, Chocolate Cream, Water Ices and Confectionery furnished at the shortest notice and delivered to any part of the je 13-tf

OFFICE VIRGINIA EXPRESS CO., MANSION HOUSE BUILDING, MANSION HOUSE BUILDING,
ALEXANDRIA, VA., June 1st, 1868.
The Virginia Express Company is now running daily to Washington, Gegrgetown, Baltimore, Lynchburg, Richmond, Petersburg, Norfolk, Charlottesville, Staunton, Harrisonburg, Lexington, Covington, Warm, Hot and White Sulphur Springs, Lewisburg, and to all points in the Valley of Virginia and stations on

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AUCTION SALES

By J. H. Parrott, Auctioneer. COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF VALUA-BLE REAL ESTATE. By virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, rendered at the May term, 1868, in the suit of Selectman and wife vs. Masten's Executor and others, I shall sell, on SAT-

URDAY, the 18th day of July, 1868, at 12 o'clock m., of that day, in front of the Mayor's
office, in the city of Alexandria, the following
REAL ESTATE:
No. 1. A LOT OF GROUND, with improvements, on the south side of Duke st., between Water and Union, fronting 20 feet on Duke st., and running back 82 feet to an eight ft. alley, with right of way over the said alley, and also over a nine feet alley adjoining said lot on the west. This lot is improved by a comfortable two-story BRICK DWELLING and

back building, containing eight rooms.

No. 2. A LOT OF GROUND, with improvements, on the north side of Wolfe st., between Fairfax and Royal, fronting on Wolfe street 23 feet, with a depth of 88 feet 10 inches, more or

containing seven rooms.

No. 3. A LOT OF GROUND, with improvements, on the south side of Wolfe st., between Union and Water streets, fronting on Wolfe 21 feet, and with a depth of 115 feet. This lot is

of Fairfax, near Burke's Station, on the north branch of Pohick Run, and adjoining the lands of Presley Barker, Thomas Elgin and Henry Stevens, being the same tract of land which was conveyed to John Masten by deed from Mary Rue, dated 24th of June, 1859, and containing

one hundred acres. tained until the purchase money is fully paid. Conveyancing and stamps at the expense of purchaser.

H. O. CLAUGHTON, purchaser.

TOMMISSIONER'S SALE OF A VALUA-

BLE BUILDING LOT. By authority of a decree of the Circuit Court of Alexandria county, rendered at its May term, 1868, in the suit of G. K. Witmer & Bro. vs. A. L. Smith's Adm'r. and others, I shall sell, on SATURDAY, the 18th day of July 1868, at 12 o'clock m., of that day, in front of the Mayor's office, in the city of Alexandria, the desirable BUILDING LOT, on the west side of Washington street, between Franklin and Gibbon streets, adjoining the property of R. L. Wood, lately owned by Reuben Roberts, deceased; the said lot fronting on Washington

street 50 feet, and running west 120 ft. in depth. TERMS—One-fourth of the purchase-money to be paid in cash, and the residue in three equa instalments, at six, nine and twelve months, respectively, with interest from the day of sale; the deferred payments to be secured by the promissory notes of the purchaser, satisfactorily endorsed; the cash payment to be forfeited if the purchaser should fail to comply with the terms of sale, and the title to be retained until the purchase money is fully paid. Conveyancing and stamps to be paid for by purchaser.

je 12—eots H. O. CLAUGHTON, Com.

CHERIFF'S SALE. I shall expose for sale, on THURSDAY, the 11th day of June, at 12 m., at Prince street wharf, the schooner NAUGATUC, for expenses, taxes,&c. S. N. GARWOOD, Shiff. The above sale is postponed until MONDAY, June 15th, at the same place and hour. jell-td By J. H. Parrott, Auctioneer.

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present occupied by John Howell, jr.
TERMS-Cash in hand for enough to pay the amount owing on account of all notes secured by said deed, and interest, whether due or not, with the expenses of sale and of this trust; for the residue a credit of six, twelve, eighteen and twenty-four months, with interest

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